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ABSTRACT

Films, filmstrips, and tapes on topics of interest to school/community council members are listed in this directory under the following headings: alternative schools, basic skills and minimal competency, career education, citizen involvement, collective bargaining and teacher unions, community education, councils, curriculum, declining enrollment, desegregation, disadvantaged, early childhood, elementary school, equity, evaluation, facility use, financing of schools, goals of education, handicapped, home/school relationships, leadership and group effectiveness, learning, minorities, organization of school, parent involvement, pluralism, principals and administrators, prejudice, rights, school boards, school problems, secondary schooling, skill development, and teachers. Each entry contains the title, a brief description, price, and source. A list of the sources cited in the directory is provided, as well as lists of other sources and related Institute for Responsive Education publications. (CHC)

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This directory lists films, filmstrips and tapes which we felt would interest school/community council members. While our search for audio-visual resources has been extensive, we recognize that there are sources we have not uncovered. We welcome information about sources not already listed.

Selection of materials was based on our knowledge of council interests and needs. We do not intend that any listing of a particular film or organization be viewed as our endorsement of them. Film descriptions come from brochures and catalogs.

These materials are available for rental at the prices listed unless specified otherwise. We recommend that you contact individual sources listed since these organizations differ widely in their ordering and delivering policies. We are grateful to the Charles Stewart Mott Foundation for enabling us to produce this directory. We also thank Anne Vadala for her contributions of graphics and assistance in organizing this directory and Julie Clauset for her technical assistance.

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ALTERNATIVE SCHOOLS

"Freedom and Education"	A comparison between an alternative public high school and Lane Tech. Good for educational values discussion. 25 min., B&W videotape.	Loan	Alternative Schools Network
"Metrotape"	A look at the problems and strengths of alternative education. Videotape.	Loan	Alternative Schools Network
"Public Alternative Schools"	Documentary on alternative schools in six cities in the United States using the magnet approach. 25 min. film.	\$75.	Channels, Inc.

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BASIC SKILLS AND MINIMAL COMPETENCY

"Minimal Competency: A Look at State Standards"	Slide/tape offering a summary of minimal competency in 33 states with discussion of individual programs.	\$15.	ECS Education Commission of the States
"Defining the Basic Skills of American Education"	35 min. color filmstrip with cassette tape developed to help schools implement competency-based programs.	\$15.	I/D/E/A



CAREER EDUCATION

"Everybody Can't be An
Astronaut: A Parent's
Introduction to Career
Education"

Filmstrip with cassette that explains
why children need career education,
from elementary school on up, if they
are to find fulfilling careers.
20 min.

\$10. National P.T.A.

"A Chance to Be"

30 min. color 16mm film addressing
career education with particular
emphasis on the needs of programs
for special populations --- women,
minorities, the gifted, handicapped,
talented --- so as to broaden their
work options.

\$12.50 National Audio
Visual

CAREER EDUCATION (Cont.)

"Youth Employment Service" Y.E.S.	Describes the how-to of operating a Youth-run Employment Service. Videotape.	Loan	Alternative Schools Project
"Organize Politically to Reform Education"	30 min. cassette tape by Julian Bond explaining ways to build a new world where jobs and education exist in fact, rather than rhetoric.	\$6.	National Education Association

CITIZEN INVOLVEMENT

"Citizen Involvement"

26 min., 16mm color and sound film
emphasizing importance of citizen
involvement through examples in
Seattle, Philadelphia and Arkansas.

Loan

National Audio-
Visual Center

"It's The Same Old Same"

20 min., 16mm color and sound.
Filmed in New York City, this film
stresses the need for local citizen
involvement in planning for local
needs. Shows examples of bad
planning where citizen participation
is missing.

Loan

National Audio-
Visual Center

"The Process Works"

16½ min., 16mm color and sound.
Urges participation of citizens
in planning for community change
and examines methods such as
advocacy planning, public hearings
and the charette technique.

Loan

National Audio-
Visual Center

"Come On In and Help Us Do It"

Case study in Hampton, Virginia of
how government officials can foster
public trust and creative citizen
involvement process. Hampton's open
door system, downtown redevelopment,
and school integration is explained.
30 min., video cassette or open reel.

\$25.

National Municipal
League

CITIZEN INVOLVEMENT (cont.)

"A Delicate Balance"	Documentation of the birth of citizen involvement in a rural area in Indiana. Growth of nearby cities and proposed power plants are confronted. 30 min., video cassette or open reel.	\$25.	National Municipal League
"United We Stand"	Organizers in Prince George's County, Maryland, show residents that governments respond to well-organized citizen campaigns to solve local problems. Successful protests and negotiations and personal fulfillment is discussed. 30 min., video cassette or open reel.	\$25.	National Municipal League
"Chicanos Unidos"	Examination of the development of a strong coalition of diverse groups representing Mexican-Americans. Shows how a community organization can be an advocate and provider of social services. 30 min., video cassette or open reel.	\$25.	National Municipal League
"Here to Stay"	Shows how Blacks and Puerto Ricans proceeded to oversee the renaissance of Hartford's most depressed area and blocked a destructive urban renewal project. 30 min., video cassette or open reel.	\$25.	National Municipal League

CITIZEN INVOLVEMENT (cont.)

"It Should Work"	Shows that by combining the right blend of careful research, hard-nosed tactics, zeal and publicity, underfinanced organizations can win consumer victories against large corporations. 30 min., open reel or video cassette.	\$25.	National Municipal League
"Neighborhood Organizing"	An examination of the dynamics of a number of neighborhood organizations around the country. Topics include: clean-up campaigns, housing projects, establishing community identity, building alliances and coalition. Film.	Loan	Department of Housing and Urban Development/ Office of Neighborhood Development
"Redevelopment"	60 min. B&W film about a number of California community groups struggling to save their neighborhoods from urban renewal --- used by community and tenant groups as an aid to understanding the larger issues and a variety of community organizing strategies.	\$10.	Star Film Library

CITIZEN INVOLVEMENT (cont.)

"Remedy for Riot"

37 min. B&W C.B.S. report kirescope
based on the report of the National
Advisory Commission on Civil Disorders,
examining the causes of the 1976 riots.
Shows what some communities are doing
to remedy conditions which started the
riots.

\$15.

Anti Defamation
League

COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AND TEACHER UNIONS

"Parent Involvement in
Collective Bargaining"

Filmstrip illustrating how the
collective bargaining process works
and how parents can make their voice
heard before, during and after
negotiation. 12-15 min.

\$25.95 National Committee
** for Citizens in
Education

"A Whisper of Dissent -
Collective Negotiations
in Education"

Chet Huntley, former NBC news
commentator, narrates film which
provides insight into the issues
and problems of collective
negotiations. Valuable overview for
communities considering making
contracts with organized groups of
teachers.

\$15. I/D/E/A

"The Process of Change"

12 min. color filmstrip which supports
local education associations' desire
to bring about human relations changes
in their own educational systems. Reel
tape narration and response booklet.

\$11. National Education
Association

COMMUNITY EDUCATION

"Massachusetts: A
Laboratory for Community
Education"

17 min. slide tape and cassette.
Highlights 5 governmental structures
for community education development
in Massachusetts. Describes a
variety of mechanisms for community
council input to the programming
and administration of community
education.

Loan Worcester State
 College

"Community Education
Processes: How They
Work"

5 part multi-media teaching training
program. Each unit contains a motion
picture, filmstrip with sound tape
cassette, and a Discussion Guide,
workbook and brochure.

Loan Community Education
 Development Center

- Unit 1: Suggested Strategies for
Establishing a Community Education
Program.
- Unit 2: The Community School Co -
ordinator.
- Unit 3: The Community Council.
- Unit 4: Cooperative Agency
Relationships.
- Unit 5: A Sense of Community: An
Overview of Community Education.

COUNCILS

"Benefits of CACs (Citizen Advisory Councils)" "Proper Functions of CACs" "The Role of an Individual CAC member" "CACs and Career Education"	Series of filmstrips with accompanying audio-tapes	Loan	Rurban Educational Development Laboratory
"Career Education Advisory Councils: A Mechanism for Collaborative Efforts"	23 min. film showing how four cities throughout the country operate community based career education advisory councils and thus help the career education concept become a reality.	\$12.50	National Audio-Visual Center
"The Community Advisory Council"	15 min. film and accompanying instructional manual describing the role and functions of community advisory councils in a community- school setting.	Loan	Community Education Development Center

* see also, Community Education and Leadership and Group Effectiveness listings

CURRICULUM

"Approaches to Early Childhood Curriculum"	29 min. B&W film explaining N.Y.U.'s Institute for Developmental Studies methods for teaching abstract concepts, self image development and the use of games to reinforce learning to slum children.	\$10.	Anti Defamation League
"But Everyone I Know Can Read"	28 min., 16 mm color film with sound illustrating how HEW's Right to Read Office is striving to eliminate illiteracy in this country. Depicts teacher training, bilingual instruction and a method for determining an individual's reading problems.	Loan	Association Films
"Teaching Reading: A Search for the Right Combination"	Color filmstrip with cassette which demonstrates how schools and teachers work to find the right combination of methods, materials and experiences to help each child learn to read. Discussion guide included.	\$38.	National School Public Relations Association
"The Curriculum"	55 min. cassette tape discussing The Parkway Program. Student-Teacher Relationships. Role of Students. EFFE Program-students and Curriculum Planning. Affective Education: Know Yourself. Toward a More Humane Environment. cassette and Leader's guide.	\$9.	National Education Association

D

DECLINING ENROLLMENT

"Enrollment Decline and
the High School: Crisis
or Opportunity?"

Slide and script presentation.

Loan

Educational
Facilities
Lab

"The Cost of Decline"

Slide tape centering on the factors
which contribute to increasing costs
and explaining why the old yardstick-
per pupil cost - is no longer a good
indicator of school budget needs.

\$74.95
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American Association
of School
Administrators

"Profound Transformation"

Slidetape of a study on declining
enrollment and its effect on schools.

\$59.95
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American Association
of School
Administrators

DESEGREGATION

"Busing and Integration"	The ways in which cities such as Charlotte, Dallas and Boston develop and implement integration and busing plans are explored. 30 min. film.	\$350. **	Dallas Community College District Instruction TV Center
"Perspectives on Desegregation"	Video crews record the attitudes and concerns of parents, students, and teachers prior to St. Louis's 1976 desegregation program. 23 min.	Loan	Urban Planning Aid
"Desegregation: How It Works in Schools"	14 min. color filmstrip with cassette and leader's guide. Presents an overview of U.S. school desegregation from 1966-76 which defuses the emotional issue by showing that in the majority of cases, the process has gone smoothly and benefitted students and curriculum.	\$22. ***	Anti Defamation League

* see also listings under Prejudice, Equity, School Boards
** purchase, 30 day preview
*** purchase

DISADVANTAGED

"Children Without"	29 min., 16mm film with sound. Explains how a school in an economically substandard urban area attempts to solve the educational problems of culturally deprived children.	Loan	Modern Talking Pictures
"The Cool World"	104 min. Frederick Wiseman documentary which is a "loud, long and powerful cry of outrage at the world society has created for Harlem youngsters and at the human condition in the slum ghetto". "An electrifying revelation of the desperate meaning of segregation".	\$100.	Zipporah Films
"Worlds Apart"	16 min. B&W film showing techniques for bridging the gap between the ghetto and the "all-white" world presented by most teaching materials. Contrasting scenes filmed in a traditional classroom illustrate how middle-class teaching methods can doom the disadvantaged child to failure.	\$7.50	Anti Defamation League

DISADVANTAGED (cont.)

"For All My Students"	35 min. B&W film depicting the harsh facts of education for the economically disadvantaged. Students at a California ghetto high school evaluate their teachers who, in turn, probe the reasons for their successes and failures. The film illustrates both poor and effective methods of teaching in difficult classroom situations.	\$12.50	Anti Defamation League
"Incident on Wilson Street"	50 min. B&W documentary of a 5th grade group at an all day neighborhood school which has a curriculum designed to provide enrichment for underprivileged children. Depicts successes.	\$15.	Anti Defamation League
"Rafe: Developing Giftedness in the Educationally Disadvantaged"	B&W 16mm film. Runs 20 min.	\$55.	National Education Association

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EARLY CHILDHOOD

"14 Headstart Films"

Fourteen 16mm sound films helpful in understanding the individuality of children and their development of concepts, inquiry and observation skills.

Loan

Modern Talking
Pictures

"Understanding Early Childhood"

4 individual sets which, together examine the major developmental needs and accomplishments of children. Each set contains a filmstrip & cassette.

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Parents' Magazine
Films, Inc.

Set topics:

The Child's Relationship with the
Family.

The Development of Feelings in
Children.

Preparing the Child for Learning.

The Child's Point of View.

** 4 sets \$230. Individual set \$65. Each set contains 5 color filmstrips (average 8 min. each),¹⁷
1 12" record or 3 cassettes, 5 audio script booklets,
1 discussion guide.

EARLY CHILDHOOD (cont.)

"Working with Children: A Commitment to Caring"	Importance of the early developmental years and the role and responsibility of those working with children. 4 sets: Understanding the Responsibilities of Child Care. Encouraging Healthy Development in Children. Dealing with Daily Situations. Cooperation among Staff, Family and Community.	**	Parents' Magazine Films, Inc.
"Exercise in Creativity"	Sound & color filmstrip illustrating how adults can support the creativity and awareness of infants - offers examples of games for promoting motor and sensory skills.	\$65.	Parents' Magazine Films Inc.
"Learning in the Home"	Sound & color filmstrip illustrating ways in which adults can take advantage of "teachable" moments to convey important concepts to children. Activities such as cooking, reading and watching TV can translate to numbering, measurement, shape and color concepts.	\$65.	Parents' Magazine Films, Inc.

** 4 sets \$230. Individual set \$65. Each set contains 5 color filmstrips (average 8 min. each), 18 1 12" record or 3 cassettes, 5 audio script booklets, 1 discussion guide.

EARLY CHILDHOOD (cont.)

"The Parent as a Teacher"	Sound & color filmstrip which stresses parent's role as the child's first and most important teacher. Provides techniques for encouraging learning and positive self image.	\$65.	Parents' Magazine Films, Inc.
"How to Help Your Child Grow Up"	11 min. color filmstrip & cassette with Leader's Guide. Emphasizes the ever-changing roles of parenthood and the damages resulting from sex role stereotyping.	\$18.	National Education Association
"A Chance at the Beginning"	29 min. B&W film showing all aspects of N.Y.U.'s Institute for Developmental Studies pre-school program. Depicts a meeting between parents and the Institute's social worker and a teacher's conference discussing new techniques.	\$10.	Anti Defamation League

* see also, Home/School Relationships

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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| "Charlie and the Golden Hamster ... the Non-graded Elementary School" | 13 min. film explaining the guiding concepts of a non-graded elementary school with emphasis on the learning style of the individual child. The film is based on the University Elementary School at UCLA. | \$7.50 | I/D/E/A |
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| "The Happy Revolution" | Documentary on new educational techniques that have been revitalizing British Primary Education. Meaningful problem solving activities are integrated with academic training in schools located in suburbs, country and inner city. 28 min. | \$25. | EDC
Education Development
Center |
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| "The School-Age Parent" | Becoming a parent: The Emotional Impact.
Dealing with Practical Problems of Parenthood.
Rights and Opportunities.
Building a Future. | ** | Parents' Magazine
Films, Inc. |

* see also, Home/School Relationships listing

** 4 sets \$230. Individual set \$65. Each set contains 5 color filmstrips (average 8 min. each), 1 12" record or 3 cassettes, 5 audio script booklets, and discussion guide.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL (cont.)

"The Forgotten Years:
Understanding Children
Ages 6-12"

Emphasizes the importance of middle
childhood and reaffirms belief that
adult involvement is crucial to
children during this time.

A Sense of Self.

Physical Development.

The Growth of Intelligence.

The Child and the Family.

The School Experience.

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Parents' Magazine
Films, Inc.

** All sets for \$230. Individual set \$65.

Each set contains 5 color filmstrips (average 8 min. each)
1 12" record or 3 cassettes, 5 audio script booklets,
and discussion guide. 21

EQUITY

"The Coleman Report: Equality of Educational Opportunity"	55 min. B&W film on the Coleman report which revised conceptions of ways to achieve quality education for disadvantaged children. Topics include: role of the school in eliminating discrimination; the value of compensatory education; the effect of class integration on the advantaged child; ways of initiating changes called for by the report	\$20.	Anti Defamation League
"Atalanta"	Interviews with little children on women's lib and dramatization of "Free to Be You and Me". 20 min. videotape	Loan	Alternative Schools Network
"Bakke and Beyond"	10-15 min. slide tape reviewing the Bakke decision concerning reverse discrimination.	\$15.	Education Commission of the States
"A Trumpet for the Combo"	8 min. B&W film illustrating the rationale for and problems inherent in giving preferential treatment to members of minority groups.	\$7.50	Anti Defamation League

EVALUATION

"A New Resource for
Educational Decision-
making"

16½ min. color filmstrip with sound
or cassette, tracing the evolution of
the idea of national assessment of
education. Describes purpose, method,
goal, results and use of National
Assessment data and model.

Loan

Education Commission
of the States

"The I.Q. Myth"

52 min. color C.B.S. Reports
documentary explaining intelligence
testing ... its use and misuses,
failure to consider socio-economic
factors and resulting stigmatizing
effects.

\$40.

Anti Defamation
League

"Tests and Use of Tests"

Multimedia Program - cassette tapes
on Bias in Testing
Misuse of Tests
Use of Tests
Education Administration
Employment and Counseling
Wrap-up Speech
includes discussion guide.

\$28.50

National Education
Association

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FACILITY USE

"New Leaf on Learning"	22 min., 16mm color film on conversion of "found space" to school for young children in New York City.	\$9.	New York University Film Library
"Room to Learn"	22 min., 16mm color film about Stanford, Connecticut's Early Learning Center an open plan, early childhood school.	\$9.	New York University Film Library
"The City: An Environmental Classroom"	28 min., 16mm color film produced by Educational Facilities Lab in cooperation with the New York City Board of Education which shows facilities and resources in and around the city in which effective programs of environmental education are under way.	\$9.	New York University Film Library

FACILITY USE (cont.)

"New Options for Learning Urban Education"	22 min. film portraying the philosophy and rationale underlying new approaches to urban education. In- cludes programs which make the city, the curriculum and the campus and a learning center directed toward seeking new options for learning.	\$11.	I/D/E/A
"Y.R.S., Truly" (Year Round School)	26 min., 16mm color film with sound. Documentary offering solution to education costs, summer idleness and crowded facilities. Views the year round school as a proven success educationally, socially and financially.		Modern Talking Picture

* see also, Declining Enrollment listing

FINANCING OF SCHOOLS

"School Finance Equalization"	Slide tape presentation examining the different methods used in finance equalization, the associated problems and various state activities. 10-15 min.	\$15.	Education Commission of the States
"Financing California Public Schools: The Impact of AB 65"	60 min. Slide tape.	Loan	California State Department of Education
"Vouchers"	Information slide tape on the Coons-Sugarman Initiative in California. Features legislation and potential problems.	\$15. **	Association of California School Administrators



GOALS OF EDUCATION

"A Commitment to Quality"	15 min., 16mm film with commentary from political and education leaders on the quality of education. Background material available to supplement the film.	\$45.	Education Commission of the States
"Make a Mighty Reach"	45 min. film depicting the dramatic changes taking place in education. Major emphasis is on new education ideas that are cognizant of differences in the individual abilities of students.	\$15.	I/D/E/A
"Jonathan Kozol"	Part of Jonathan Kozol's speech at the May 22-23 Education for Change conference, 1976. 30 min. videotape.	Loan	Alternative Schools Project

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HANDICAPPED

"Genesis"

Film teaches how to train basic self help skills, such as eating, dressing, etc. Follows step by step procedures for successfully teaching mentally retarded using behavior modification techniques.

Loan

Hallmark Films

"I'll Promise You A Tomorrow"

Carefully designed to teach basic concepts of preparing for Special Education setting in the community. Three necessary life skills are taught: communication, direction following, and group participation.

Loan

Hallmark Films

"Even Love Is Not Enough Children With Handicaps: Physical Disabilities"

5 filmstrips with cassettes.

\$58.

Parents' Magazine
Films, Inc.

HANDICAPPED (cont.)

"The Big Yellow Schooner to Byzantium"	16mm, 15 min., color film with sound focusing on the public school education of severely retarded students. Film demonstrates with actual school footage, how it is feasible and desirable to educate severely and profoundly retarded children in public schools. The importance of parent participation in their education is also emphasized.	Loan	National Association for Retarded Citizens
"Education and Language Disabilities"	Set of filmstrips, booklets, discussion guide and cassettes examining the causes and consequences of language and educational disabilities. Encourages viewers' participation in the treatment of these disorders.	\$65. ***	Parents' Magazine Films, Inc.
"Mainstreaming" (What Teachers Say Series)	4 cassette tapes describing teachers' successes and problems with mainstreaming ... role of teacher and effects on handicapped and non-handicapped are discussed.	\$15.	National Education Association

HANDICAPPED (cont.)

"I'll Dance At Your Wedding"	Film giving description of the kinds of handicapping conditions and the sources of help for handicapped children and their families, and lists factors involved in the emotional and social development of these children.	\$12.50	National Audio-Visual Center
"Like Other People"	Extraordinary film dealing with the sexual, emotional and social needs of the mentally or physically handicapped. 37 min.	\$40.	Perennial Education, Inc.
"We Are All One ... Creativity of the Mentally Retarded"	25 min. slide show by a center devoted to the artistic growth and development of the handicapped.	\$15** \$50***	Creative Growth
"Kelly"	Study of the first child with Cerebral Palsy to enter a regular child care program. Interview of people involved and Kelly's progress in two years. Film.	\$25.	EDC Distribution Center

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** loan for a day
*** loan for a week

HOME/SCHOOL RELATIONSHIPS

"Home and School Interaction"	3 episodes illustrating both the involvement of parents in the school program and the program's outreach to parents in their home. Film.	\$45. **	Bank Street College of Education
"How You Can Help Your Child Get the Most out of School"	20 min. color filmstrip and record narration with Leader's Guide.	\$10.	National Education Association
"How to Listen to Your Child, and How to Get Your Child to Listen to You"	2 part color filmstrip, 10 min. each. Communication = 2 way street.	\$19.50	National Education Association
"Parenting Concerns: Preparing for Kindergarten"	21 min. color film designed to teach parents how to prepare their children for the social role they face in kindergarten.	\$30.	Perennial Education, Inc.
"What You Can Do to Help Your Child Succeed"	11 min. color filmstrip indicating what parents can and cannot expect from the school and what they can do to help the child solve problems.	\$16.	National Education Association

HOME/SCHOOL RELATIONSHIPS (Cont.)'

"Your Child and Discipline"	14 min. color filmstrip with record narration and Leader's Guide.	\$10.	National Education Association
"El Manana Es Hoy"	Spanish language program on child development and parent involvement. 4 sets: Learning Begins at Home. Our Language, Our Culture, Ourselves. From Home to School. Parent-School Relationships.	**	Parents' Magazines Films, Inc.
"Parent-Teacher Conferences"	7 min. color filmstrip and cassette tape with Leader's Guide. Special attention to: Where and when should the Conference be held? How can the parent best prepare? Who should be present? What is the teacher's role? What are the real purposes and what results should be expected?	\$18.	National Education Association

* see also, Elementary School, Early Childhood, Parent Involvement listings.

** 4 sets \$230. Individual set \$65. Each set contains 5 color filmstrips (average 8 min. each)
1 12" record or 3 cassettes, 5 audio script booklets,
1 discussion guide.



LEADERSHIP AND GROUP EFFECTIVENESS

"Organizing Parents and
Developing Leadership"

Filmstrip illustrating how to build
a power base among parents and other
citizens, run an organization and
develop effective leaders.
12-15 min.

\$25.95 National Committee
** for Citizens in
 Education

"Leadership: A State of
Mind"

This filmstrip in sound and color
describes the determinants of real
leadership and how a potential leader
can act in his own and the group's
interest. Shows how real leadership
stems from willingness to identify
problems and express concern about
them.

\$15. National P.T.A.

** purchase

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LEADERSHIP AND GROUP EFFECTIVENESS (Cont.)

"Make It Happen"	This filmstrip and tape cassette identifies skill & management techniques for organizing work and for dealing with people, and demonstrates good leadership skills within the context of a real situation.	\$6.	National P.T.A.
"Understanding Intergroup Relations"	15 min. filmstrip about how to change attitudes, actions to be taken, sensitivity awareness and guidelines for coordination and intergroup relations program. Cassette tape and Leader's guide.	\$16.	National Education Association
"How to Work With School Officials"	Filmstrip showing how to develop strategies for action, gathering facts and make the parents' case to school officials.	\$25.95 **	NCCE(National Committee for Citizens in Education

** purchase

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LEARNING

"Elements of the Learning Process (What Research Says to the Teacher)"	Color filmstrip. Examines 4 basic factors: When do students learn? How do students learn? What do students learn? Where do students learn? Cassette tape and Leader's Guide. Spanish language edition also.	\$16. **	National Education Association
"Guided Study and Homework (What Research Says to the Teacher)"	2 part color filmstrip, 11 min. each. Cassette tape and Leader's Guide.	\$14.	National Education Association
"Motivation in Teaching and Learning (What Research Says to Teacher)"	19 min. color filmstrip. Examines self concept as related to motivation and learning, teacher and student variables relating to motivation and learning, and teaching techniques to enhance motivation and learning.	\$10.	National Education Association

* see also, Curriculum and Early Childhood listings

** Spanish Language Edition = \$23.



MINORITIES

"Rebop: Rafael Cancel
High School"

Tape about a Chicago Puerto Rican
High School and its cultural identity.

Loan

Alternative Schools
Project

"Unlearning 'Indian'
Stereotypes"

Color/ sound filmstrip with elementary
teaching unit. Native American young-
sters visit a library and discuss the
harm done by stereotypes they find in
the children's picture books. They
reread their own perspectives on
history and discuss their own cultures,
viewpoints and dreams.

\$32.50

Council on Interracial
Books for Children

MINORITIES (Cont.)

"A Nation of Immigrants"

52 min., B&W documentary tracing the successive waves of immigration to the United States, high-lighting contributions made by immigrants.

\$25.

Anti Defamation
League

"We're Not All Alike"

Multimedia program including one cassette each for:
Asian-The Tensions of Non-Western Tradition.
Black-Survival and Self Determination.
Chicano-The Options of Biculturalism.
First American-Preserving and Sharing an Inheritance.
plus a discussion guide.

\$28.50

National Education
Association

"A Unique Experience"

The Alex Haley (Roots) story in two 1-hour and 40 min. tapes and discussion questions.

\$12.

National Education
Association

* see also, Equity, Prejudice, Home/School Relationships, General Source Listing for Films and Filmstrips about the history, contributions and experience of Italian-Americans, Asian-Americans, Blacks, Hispanics, and Women listings.



ORGANIZATION OF SCHOOL

"Continuous Progress
Learning"

22 min. film showing how to move
from a graded to ungraded school
plan.

\$11. I/D/E/A

"Primary Education in
England"

19 min. documentary about the
British infant school which supports
the concept of nongraded, "family-
grouping" education.

\$10. I/D/E/A

ORGANIZATION OF SCHOOL (Cont.)

"Class Size (What Teachers Say Series)"	4 cassette tapes, 7 min. each, of interviews with teachers from elemen- tary through high school telling of their experiences with classes of too many students. Overview and discussion questions included.	\$15.	National Education Association
"Classroom Group Management (What Research Says to the Teacher)"	8½ min. color filmstrip concentrating on the specifics through close observation of the teacher's two major managerial functions ... Initiating Structure Consideration Leader's Guide and cassette	\$16.	National Education Association

* see also, Secondary Schooling

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PARENT INVOLVEMENT

"The System: Schools for
the 70's Series"

Cassette tape discussing:
Toward Cooperative Governance.
Public Schools of Choice.
The Teacher as Decision Maker.
Parent Power.
The North Dakota Story: System
Reform through Teacher Education.
Parents as Partners.
Leader's Guide and cassette.

\$9.

National Education
Association

"We Learn by Love"

Film showing the change and growth
experienced by students and their
parents, teachers and the community
who work closely together. Active
parent involvement is encouraged.

\$25.

Education Development
Center

PARENT INVOLVEMENT (Cont.)

"Parent Involvement: A Program for Teachers and Educators"	The importance of Parent Involvement Working in the Classroom. Parents and Policy Making. Parent-Teacher Communication. Viewpoint on Parent Participation	**	Parents' Magazine Films, Inc.
"Parents are Teachers Too Teacher Aides Aides Make the Difference"	18 min. filmstrips, document number 0315	Loan	Parent Materials Information Center
"Tomorrow We'll See What Happens"	30 min., B&W film illustrating how children, parents and school staff can share in the total school experience at three schools in Los Angeles participating in the Tutorial Community Project.	\$20.	Parents' Magazine Films, Inc.

** 4 sets \$230. Individual set \$65. Each set contains 5 color filmstrips (average 8 min. each)
1 12" record or 3 cassettes, 5 audio script booklets,
1 discussion guide.

PARENT INVOLVEMENT (Cont.)

"Pushing for Excellence"	Parents make the difference in children's learning and must pursue excellence.	Loan	Apple Corps, Inc.
"Schools and After: Parents Help"	Filmstrip and cassette.	\$10.30	Parenting Materials Information Center
"Parent Observation in the Classroom"	Filmstrip and cassette.	\$25.	Chapel Hill Training Outreach Project
"Talk ... about Parent Involvement"	Cassette tape. Side 1: What a Parent Involvement Program Can and Can't Do for Your School (40 min.) Side 2: I'm Involved in Parent Involvement (35 min.)	\$9.50	National Education Association
"Very Truly Yours, Mrs. Ashby"	Dramatic recording of a day when parents who had never before organized themselves, did so to meet an emergency involving possible cancellation of funding for their school. 16 min.	\$12.50	Bank Street College of Education

PARENT INVOLVEMENT (Cont.)

"Parents and Teachers
Together (for the Benefit
of Children)"

2 part color filmstrip (8, 6 min.)
Part 1: rationale for parent
involvement in the classroom (8 min.)
Part 2: (for teachers only. 6 min.)
Teacher responsibility and role in
parent-teacher involvement program.

\$24.75 National Education
Association

"AFSC Slidefilm"

20 min. slidefilm documenting in
narrative and interviews with parents
from Dayton, Ohio some of the problems
and successes encountered in advocating
quality education for their children.
Urges parent involvement and presents
suggestions about what to look for and
do when visiting schools.

\$10. American Friends
Service Committee

* see also, Home/School Relationships, Discipline, Teachers listings

PLURALISM

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| "From Racism to Pluralism" | Presentation of such concepts as pluralism; definition of problems of prejudice and racism and insight into the effect of attitudes on the possible solution of these problems. Includes 18 min. filmstrip, discussion guide and curriculum kit. | \$32.50 | Council on
Interracial
Books for
Children |
| "The Architecture of Pluralism (Asian, Black Chicano, First American)" | 35 min. cassette tape of interviews with educators regarding 4 ethnic groups offering their views on the interactions between the children of their group and the school and society in which they live. | \$6. | National Education
Association |

PRINCIPALS AND ADMINISTRATORS

"The Principal of This School"

Film shows how one principal deals with issues of administrative style, philosophy, and practice; school organization; leadership and discipline; teacher evaluation; and many others. Aims at being a discussion stimulus for parent and community groups and present and future administrators. 28 min., B&W.

\$15.

EDC Education
Development
Center

"The Role of Teachers
and Administrators:
Understanding Intergroup
Relations"

28 min. cassette tape.

\$9.

National Education
Association

PREJUDICE

"Understanding Institutional Racism"	Explains why practices and policies of institutions rather than individual attitudes are the crucial factor in maintaining racial injustice in the United States. Includes 17 min. film-strip, discussion guide and curriculum kit.	\$32.50	Council on Interracial Books for Children
"Eye of the Storm"	25 min. color ABC-TV News Special film shows the effects of prejudice through a 3rd grade teacher's experiment in which she separated her class into "superior" and "inferior" by eye color - then had them reverse roles - attitudes, behavior and classroom performance were changed measureably as the children suffered segregation, discrimination and prejudice.	\$30.	Anti Defamation League
"Sometime Before Morning"	28 min. color documentary explaining prejudice in our society and what its major institutions are doing to eradicate it. Explores a variety of human relations training techniques developed for this purpose.	\$20.	Anti Defamation League

PREJUDICE (Cont.)

"The Victims"	48 min. B&W film, winner of many awards. Dr. Spock diagnoses the causes of prejudice in children. He finds it a crippling disease harmful to both the recipients and those who inflict it. Spock demonstrates that adults are the carriers of the virus - but also have the power to cure it.	\$15.	Anti Defamation League
"You've Got to Be Taught to Hate"	12 min. color and B&W film. Designed as a discussion stimulator for junior and senior high school, the film is a primer on prejudice and the ways in which it is transmitted to the young. An edited version of the Victims.	\$10.	Anti Defamation League
"No Hiding Place: Minority Conflicts in the Suburbs"	58 min. B&W National Educational TV documentary offering a profile of America in microcosm. Although the black ghetto is in ferment, the white middle-class residents are oblivious to its problems and needs. The hope lies in the efforts of those wishing to bridge the gap and "dare to trust each other".	\$17.50	Anti Defamation League

PREJUDICE (Cont.)

"Prejudice and You ... A Learning Experience"	Audio kit. Three one-hour cassettes with teachers' manual. Presents situations of prejudice in story form.	\$39.95	National School Public Relations Association
"A Better Life"	35 min., 16mm color film with sound. Purpose is to help remove negative stereotyping of Spanish Speaking and Native American-Indians.	Loan	Sandia Laboratories
"Bill Cosby on Prejudice"	25 min. color film.	***	Boston University Krasker Memorial Library
"The Little Falls Incident"	7 min. color film documenting by interview an anti-semitic incident in a New Jersey junior high school. The news report reveals that the lingering anti-semitism in our society can be easily ignited and yet many people are apathetic.	\$10.	Anti Defamation League

PREJUDICE (Cont.)

"An American Girl"	29 min. B&W film which tells the story of a teenager who is mistakenly believed to be Jewish. The particular incident based on truth, revolves around anti-semitism but is basically concerned with irrational prejudice.	\$10.	Anti Defamation League
"We Don't Know How to Grow People"	18 min. cassette tape concentrating on liberation from school role stereotyping. Discussion guide.	\$6.	National Education Association

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* see also, Minorities, Curriculum, Equity, General Source listings.

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RIGHTS

"Censorship and the
Schools"

3 part audio program (1½ hours total): \$21.15 National Education
Academic Freedom - the Law and Censor- Association
ship in Schools; Intellectual
Freedom - Censorship and an Enlighten-
ed Public; Controversial Issues and
the Classroom Teacher.

"The Law and Parents'
Rights"

12-15 min. filmstrip illustrating how \$25.95 National Committee
current and proposed law and court for Citizens in
decisions affect parents' and students' Education
rights.

RIGHTS Cont.)

"Youth and the Law"

Cassette tape of a discussion between students and lawyer examining the concerns of junior high and high school students with relation to the law. \$9.

National Education Association

"It's Your Right:
The Law Says"

Color filmstrip considering the rights of students and parents in a category of offenses. Cassette narration and Leader's Guide. \$17.

National Education Association



SCHOOL BOARDS

"School Boards in Crisis-
Five Facing Ten"

30 min. film about the responsibilities and role of local boards of education and the pressures they face. Included are conflicts dealing with desegregation, new teaching patterns and curriculum and teacher militancy.

\$15.

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SCHOOL PROBLEMS

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| <p>"Where Have All the Students Gone?"</p> | <p>Filmstrip and cassette outlining the problem of school absenteeism and describing its causes with suggestions for positive activities parents can undertake to curb the problem in their community. 12½ min.</p> | <p>\$6.</p> | <p>National P.T.A.</p> |
| <p>"Discipline: Day By Day"</p> | <p>4 part. 9 min. each, audio tape program and discussion questions:
How to Cut Discipline Problems in Half
Self Discipline is the Best Discipline
An Ounce of Prevention
A New Approach</p> | <p>\$18.</p> | <p>National Education Association</p> |
| <p>"Discipline Techniques What Research Says to the Teacher"</p> | <p>9 min. color filmstrip which takes a new look at discipline as it relates to learning and considers various attitudes, methods, strategies and concepts currently practiced in classrooms. Leader's guide and cassette.</p> | <p>\$17.</p> | <p>National Education Association</p> |

SCHOOL PROBLEMS (Cont.)

"Hot Line"	10 min. tape describing a youth run crisis hot line.	Loan	Alternative Schools Project
"What Can You Handle?"	25 min. tape dealing with poly-drug abuse of teenagers. Includes street interviews, expert opinions and the views of ex-abusers.	Loan	Alternative Schools Project
"Solutions to Vandalism"	16mm, 35 min. color film showing through documentary illustration how 6 communities, independent of one another, have created and maintained effective programs to deal with vandalism.	\$40.	Perennial Education Inc.
"Facing Up to Vandalism"	16mm color film which asks "why do they do it?" and hears some uninhibited answers from a group of young students in rural, inner city and suburban junior high schools.	\$21.	Perennial Education Inc.

SCHOOL PROBLEMS (Cont.)

"Just Like You"	Sound and color filmstrip exploring some causes of drinking among young people and examining the role of adults and peers as models for drinking behavior. Presents highlights of PTA alcohol education projects. 12 min.	Loan	National P.T.A.
"Let's Go Get Stoned"	10 min. tape dramatization of drinking problems among teens.	Loan	Alternative Schools Project
"Alcohol, Drugs or Alternatives"	16mm color film that looks at the reasons why people use alcohol and drugs and presents techniques for dealing with the problem. Designed for a teen audience. 25 min.	Loan	National P.T.A.
"When Does Life Begin?"	34 min. videotape of a play by Boston-area summer youth program. Written and acted by teenagers, this shows the stresses and problems that may lead a young person into drugs.	\$1 - \$5 **	Urban Planning Aid

** donation

SECONDARY SCHOOLING

"Hi, School! ... Making the Curriculum Relevant"	26 min. film showing actions and programs underway in established high schools to support a more relevant curriculum.	\$12.	I/D/E/A
"The Improbable Form of Master Sturm .. the Non-graded High School"	13 min. film based on an actual high school's successful 10 year experience with an ungraded curriculum.	\$7.50	I/D/E/A
"High School Opinions"	10 min. videotape of interviews with students in a Chicano high school.	Loan	Alternative Schools Project
"High School"	75 min., 16mm B&W reknowned film by Frederick Wiseman. A documentary of life in a middle-class suburban high school which shows the "overwhelming dreariness of administrators and teachers who confuse learning with discipline". Secondary school as a depressing, repressive atmosphere which stifles individuality and the human spirit.	***	Zipporah Films

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*** \$100./\$12.50 delivery charge
\$ 7.50 within New England

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SECONDARY SCHOOLING (Cont.)

"Parents and Teenagers"

Portrait of Teenagers
Portrait of Parents
The Struggle for Independence
Looking Towards Adulthood

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Parents' Magazine
Films, Inc.

* see also, Teachers, Alternative Schools, Curriculum, Goals of Education listings

** 4 sets \$230. Individual set \$65. Each set contains 5 color filmstrips (average 8 min. each), 57
1 12" record or 3 cassettes, 5 audio script booklets,
1 discussion guide.

SKILL DEVELOPMENT

"Fund Raising"	Illustrates how to seek and obtain money from individuals, foundations and other sources. 12-15 min.	\$25.95 *	National Committee for Citizens in Education
"Your Parliamentary Partner: Mr. Main Motion"	Portrayal of parliamentary procedure. 16 min. filmstrip.	\$4. 3/\$10.	National P.T.A.
"Research"	How Montreal Groups have used research to develop their organizations. Cites examples of what kind of research can be done and why. 25 min. videotape.	\$1-\$5 **	Media Project-Video Urban Planning Aid, Inc.
"Doin' the Offset Rag"	Tape provides training in typesetting photos, graphics, paste-up and press production using the offset printing method. 54 min. videotape.	\$1-\$5 **	Media Project-Video Urban Planning Aid, Inc.

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** donation

SKILL DEVELOPMENT (Cont.)

"Making An Issue An Issue"	18 min. videotape of two women describing how they used both broadcast and print media to increase public awareness of specific issues.	\$1-\$5 **	Media Project-Video Urban Planning Aid, Inc.
"Making Your Own Publicity"	Focuses on how groups can publicize their work themselves. Gives ideas on newsletters, fliers, pamphlets, symbols, etc. 15 min. videotape.	\$1-\$5 **	Media Project-Video Urban Planning Aid, Inc.
"Bad Publicity and More Bad Publicity"	15 min. videotape discusses who controls the Canadian Media and its effects on the publicity of poor and working-class organizations.	\$1-\$5 **	Media Project-Video Urban Planning Aid, Inc.
"Getting Better Publicity"	25 min. videotape focuses on how to achieve maximum media coverage by learning practical skills such as writing news releases and holding news conferences. Also how to use the media to build your group.	\$1-\$5 **	Media Project-Video Urban Planning Aid, Inc.

* see also, Leadership and Group Effectiveness listings

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send blank 1/2" videotape and will dub free copies



TEACHERS

"Learning Through Inquiry"	A 22 min. training film showing how the teacher's function has changed from subject orientation to stimulating student interest through the use of the inquiry technique.	\$11.	I/D/E/A
"Change ... Training Teachers for Innovation"	In-service training film depicting teachers and administrators who work together to solve problems and supporting greater staff involvement.	\$12.	I/D/E/A

TEACHERS (Cont.)

"Team Teaching in the Elementary School"

22 min. film plus study guide showing a day of team teaching in a Texas school.

\$11. I/D/E/A

"The Organized Profession"

55 min. cassette tape of these discussions, New York State Teachers Association Tackles Professionalism; Negotiation: More Than Bread and Butter; The Teacher as Politician; Instructional Councils: One Way to Begin; Wanted: A Secretary of Education and teacher's guide.

\$9. National Education Association

"Conference Time for Teachers and Parents"

Multi media kit developed to improve communication between the school and home. Includes two cassette narrations and filmstrips: Conference Time for Teachers and Parents.
How to Confer Successfully with Your Child's Teacher.
and a 36 page handbook, teacher's guide to successful conference reporting.

** National School Public Relations Association.

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** \$39.50 for film
\$ 5.00 for booklet (min. order of 4)

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TEACHERS (Cont.)

"The Exciting Teacher"	Motivational messages to keep teachers aware of the responsibility of their profession and sharpen their professional skills. Three audio cassettes.	\$29.95	National School Public Relations Association
"If the Shoe Fits: A Salute to Parents from Teachers Everywhere"	10 min. color filmstrip with record narration and leader's guide.	\$10.	National Education Association
"People Power Does It: Understanding Inter-group Relations"	23 min. cassette tape of students discussing the importance of good student-teacher relationships in a potentially explosive atmosphere.	\$9.	National Education Association
"Creativity: A Way of Learning. (What Research Says to the Teacher)"	11 min. color filmstrip exploring what creativity is and how it can be encouraged. Cassette and leader's guide. Spanish edition also.	\$16. **	National Education Association

* see also, Curriculum, Parent Involvement, Principals, Home/School Relationships, Collective Bargaining
 ** combination of one filmstrip and cassette in Spanish & English = \$23.

Sources Listed In This Directory

Alternative Schools Network Video Project
1105 W. Lawrence, Room 210
Chicago, IL. 60640

American Association of School Administrators
1801 N. Moore Street
Arlington, VA. 22209

American Friends Service Committee
Student Rights and Responsibilities Project
915 Salem Avenue
Dayton, OH 45406

Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith
823 United Nations Plaza
New York, NY. 10017

Apple Corps, Inc.
Learning Resources Center
250 Georgia Avenue
Atlanta, GA. 30312

Association Films, Inc.
866 Third Avenue
New York, NY. 10022

Association for Retarded Citizens
2709 Avenue E East
P.O. Box 6109
Arlington, TX 76011

Association of California School Administrators
1575 Old Bayshore Highway
Burlingame, CA 94010

California State Department of Education
Office of Information
721 Capitol Mall
Sacramento, CA. 95814

Channels
Benjamin Strout
P.O. Box 904
Bloomington, IN 47401

Community Education Development Center
centers exist in every state; or write
The Charles Stewart Mott Foundation
Mott Foundation Building
Flint, MI 48502

Council on Interracial Books
CIBC Resource Center, Room 300
1841 Broadway
New York, NY. 10023

Creative Growth
2505 Broadway
Oakland, CA. 94612

Dallas County Community College District
Instructional TV Center
12800 Abrams Road
Dallas, TX 75243

Department of Housing and Urban Development
Office of Neighborhood Development
431 7th, S.W., Room 3172
Washington, DC. 20410 c/o Ellis Shabecoff

Educational Facilities Lab
850 Third Avenue
New York, NY. 10022

Education Commission of the States
Media Materials Coordinator
Communications Department
300 Lincoln Tower
1860 Lincoln Street
Denver, CO. 80302

Education Development Center
Distribution Center
39 Chapel Street
Newton, MA. 02106

Films, Inc.
1144 Wilmette Avenue
Wilmette, IL. 60091

Hallmark Films
1511 E. North Avenue
Baltimore, MD. 21213

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Institute for Development of Educational
Activities
P.O. Box 356
Wright Bros. Branch
Dayton, OH. 45409

Krasker Memorial Library
Boston University
768 Commonwealth Avenue
Boston, MA. 02215

Modern Talking Picture Service, Inc.
5000 Park Street North
St. Petersburg, FL. 33709

National AudioVisual Center
National Archives and Records Service
General Services Administration
Reference Section B
Washington, DC. 20409

National Committee for Citizens in Education
Suite 410
Wilde Lake Village Green
Columbia, MD. 21044

National Education Association
Order Department
Academic Building, Saw Mill Road
West Haven, CT. 16516

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National Municipal League
47 E. 68th Street
New York, NY. 10021 c/o Bill Henderson

National Parent Teachers Association
700 North Rush Street
Chicago, IL. 60611

National School Public Relations Association
Subscription Department
1801 N. Moore Street
Arlington, VA. 22209

New York University Film Library
26 Washington Place
New York, NY. 10003

Parenting Materials Information Center
Southwest Educational Development Lab
211 East 7th Street
Austin, TX. 78701

Parents Magazine Films, Inc.
Department 129
52 Vanderbilt Avenue
New York, NY. 10017

Perennial Education, Inc.
477 Roger Williams
P.O. Box 855, Ravinia
Highland Park, IL. 60035

Rurban Educational Development Laboratory
Department of Vocational & Technical Education
357 Education Building
University of Illinois
Urbana, IL. 61801

Sandia Laboratories
P.O. Box 5800
Albuquerque, NM. 87185

Star Film Library
120 Boylston Street
Boston, MA. 02116

Urban Planning Aid
639 Massachusetts Avenue
Cambridge, MA. 02139

Worcester State College
Community Education Development Center
486 Chandler Street
Worcester, MA. 01602

Zipporah Films
54 Lewis Wharf
Boston, MA. 02110

Other Sources

Educator's Guide to Free Filmstrips, \$11.70 Educator's Progress Service, Inc., Randolph, Wis. 53956. May be available in your library or a university Education Department Library.

Listings from P.M.I.C., \$5.00 Parenting Materials Information Center, Southwest Education Development Laboratory, 211 East 7th Street, Austin, TX 78701.

Source and Resource Directory, \$5.50 Bibliography of films, books, articles & periodicals for training and development specialists in community-related areas. American Society for Training and Development, P.O. Box 5307, Madison, WI 53705.

Educational Film Library Association, 17 W 60th St., New York, NY 10023. National clearinghouse for information on nontheatrical 16mm films and other media.

National Center for Audio Tapes, Stadium Building, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO 80302. Resource center of 8000 16mm educational films and 14,000 audio tapes on all educational topics at all levels from kindergarten to adult.

National Educational Film Center, Rte 2, Finksburg, MD 21048. Selected 16mm films from large US distributors. Membership organization.

National Information Center for Educational Media (NICEM) publishes an index to 16mm educational films and filmstrips which offers a subject guide with directory of producers and distributors. Big libraries and university education libraries may have this index.

National Indian Training Center, Professional Library, P.O. Box 66, Brigham City, Utah 84302. 2800 microfilms and 2500 media materials dealing with education and American Indians.

Also investigate the resources of your library, nearby college or university and state department of education.

RELATED I.R.E. PUBLICATIONS

This packet is a service of the Institute for Responsive Education's Citizen Action in Education Clearinghouse. Related publications of interest to school council members include:

OVERCOMING BARRIERS TO SCHOOL COUNCIL EFFECTIVENESS. Jim Stanton, et al. March 1979, 153 pp. (\$6.50) Report of a project which studied and assisted 18 school-related councils in California, South Carolina and New York. Three objectives ran through this project: providing resources to councils; working through local citizen organizations to provide councils with in-kind support; and, gathering and sharing information on ways councils organize and take action. Discusses common denominators of council effectiveness and ineffectiveness and factors to consider in evaluating and assisting school councils. Makes recommendations on how to make councils effective.

FORTHCOMING CHARLES STEWART MOTT FUNDED INFORMATION PACKETS FOR SCHOOL/COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEMBERS:

Parent Involvement and Student Performance.
Citizen Participation in Collective Bargaining.

RESOURCE GUIDE AND BIBLIOGRAPHY ON SCHOOL COUNCILS. IRE, February 1978, 81 pp. (\$6.00) Councils are often frustrated by their inability to act on important school issues. Voluntary energy alone is not enough--councils need resources. This guide looks at organizing, goal setting, and training skills councils need to operate effectively. Provides short descriptions of nearly eighty other publications of use to councils. Bound loose leaf so council members can add to and improve it.

CITIZEN ACTION IN EDUCATION. Quarterly newsmagazine of the Institute. \$5.00 per year (journal contribution). Reports new models and ideas for citizen involvement in schools across the country. Reaches 22,000 people in all states. CAE is an important communication link between parents, citizens and school people who feel that citizen involvement in educational decisionmaking creates the best schools.

SCHOOLS WHERE PARENTS MAKE A DIFFERENCE. Don Davies, 1976, 164 pp. (\$3.95). From Arizona Navaho lands to a wealthy San Francisco suburb to inner city Milwaukee, parents are deciding what kinds of schools they want, how they want them to operate, and how they can drum up financial support for them. Diane Divoky, co-author of The Myth of the Hyperactive Child,

opens with a chapter about Lagunitas, a 500-child district in Northern California offering three very different kinds of education in the same school. Boston Globe education editor Muriel Cohen recounts successes and failures of citizen groups in Boston's system. And Jim Branscome, a newspaperman in Tennessee, reports on his experiences with a federal program in rural West Virginia.

OPENING THE DOOR: CITIZEN ROLES IN EDUCATIONAL COLLECTIVE BARGAINING. Irving Hamer, Charles W. Cheng, Melanie Barron, ed. March 1979, 194 pp. (\$5.00) Examines citizen groups engaged in exploring alternatives to the traditional modes of educational collective bargaining. The case studies range from New York City to a statewide citizens' network in California. Each case discusses the local prerequisites of change, methods of involvement--conferences, coalitions, media stimulation and response to negotiating proposals--and follow-up strategies.

RISING ABOVE DECLINE. Betsy Wachtel and Brian Powers, 1979, 198 pp. (\$4.50) A unique account of how nine communities across the country are responding to the challenge of declining school enrollment. Describes the typical course of events in communities facing this problem and features an action plan for community participation in school decisions. The case studies discuss issues like desegregation, alternatives to closing and conflicts and cooperation between laypeople and professionals.

FACTS FOR A CHANGE: CITIZEN ACTION RESEARCH FOR BETTER SCHOOLS . Bill Burges, 1976. 192 pp. (\$5.00) Fact-finding becomes community action when the people most affected define the issues, get the facts, and act for change. Facts for a Change shows citizen groups how to get the facts they need to create dialogue and make proposals about important issues. An ideal text for action-oriented urban affairs or civic education classes at the secondary and post-secondary levels. For citizen groups, it is a guide to inform community action.

FACTS AND FIGURES: A LAYMAN'S GUIDE TO CONDUCTING SURVEYS. Bill Burges, 1979, (second printing) 125 pp. (\$4.25) Community surveys can inform citizen participation and action research; they can be used to stimulate change and community action. This "how to" manual discusses surveys and their purposes, interviewing techniques, fact collection and analysis. Provides case studies and sample questionnaires.

WORDS, PICTURES, MEDIA: COMMUNICATION IN EDUCATIONAL POLITICS. Lloyd Prentice, 1976, 91 pp. (\$4.00) Tells how to move beyond fact-finding and communication to develop a public information campaign. Combines a systematic outline of media strategies with specific "how to" tips on fund raising, writing press releases, preparing a slide-tape presentation, and budgeting and evaluating communications efforts.

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